

Salt River Fire Department EMS Policies and Procedures

Patient Outcome Information



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PURPOSE

The purpose of this document is to clearly outline the process by which a provider may obtain patient outcome information. It is understood that EMS providers may find it helpful, or necessary, at times to request follow-up information on a specific patient.

POLICY STATEMENT

Providers requesting follow-up information on patients must contact the Salt River Fire Department EMS battalion chief via phone or email.

PROCEDURE

The following steps shall be taken to obtain patient information requested from fire department providers:

1. The Company Officer (or designee) will contact the EMS battalion chief in regards to follow up and provide the following information:
 - The incident date, number, and alarm time
 - Their station number and shift
 - The patient's name
 - The receiving hospital and agency that transported the patient
 - The patient CC/MOI and any other information that may be helpful
2. As information is received from the appropriate facilities, the EMS battalion chief assigned patient follow-up responsibility will contact the crew via the telephone, or by email.